

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 8, line 20 with the following amended paragraph:

If the appropriate module is not already stored in the module memory 14, then steps are taken to download the required data from a received broadcast transport stream-14_15. In particular, one or more section filters 16 may be used to extract from the stream-14_15 sections required to reconstruct the desired module. For instance MPEG section filters may be used to extract MPEG-2 sections carrying the required DSM-CC module.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 1 with the following amended paragraph:

The controller 18 is sensitive to data in the broadcast transport stream-14_15 and determines when modules available over the stream-14_15 have been updated. In this way, the controller 18 may determine whether or not modules stored in the module memory 14 are current or old versions. As illustrated, the controller 18 derives this version information directly from the broadcast transport stream-14_15. However, as mentioned above, this representation is schematic and, in practice, this information may be derived by means of an appropriate section filter.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 8 with the following amended paragraph:

As will be discussed below in further detail, when the controller determines that a module stored in the module memory 14 is now available in a new version, it can initiate downloading of that new version from the broadcast transport stream-14_15. This downloading can be initiated as soon as the new version is detected or only once the object layer interface 12 attempts to access an object contained in that module.